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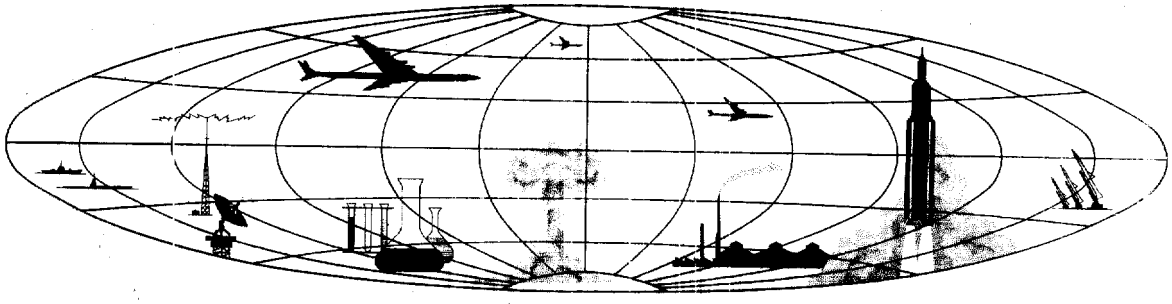

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THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3339, DATED 4 JANUARY 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

25X1A

-MISSILES-

SENADO SAM SITE 2136N 07733W [redacted]

SITE ABANDONED. NO LAUNCHERS, VEHICLES, EQUIPMENT OR TENTS VISIBLE.

25X1D [redacted] 25X1A

SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2003N 07553W [redacted]

ELEVEN PRIME MOVERS AND 41 OTHER VEHICLES OBSERVED. NO MISSILE TRANSPORTERS NOTED.

25X1D [redacted] 25X1A

CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2236N 08005W [redacted]

AREA CONTAINS 5 VEHICLES.

25X1D [redacted]

25X1A

-AIRFIELDS-

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS (SANTA CLARA) AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W [redacted]

AIRCRAFT -- 24 FISHBED, AND 6 FAGOT/FRESCO. RUNWAY IS SERVICEABLE.

25X1D [redacted]

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CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N 07751W

AIRCRAFT -- 3 FAGOT/FRESCO AND ONE CRATE.
RUNWAYS ARE SERVICEABLE.

25X1D [redacted]

HOLGUIN AIRFIELD 2048N 07618W

AIRCRAFT -- 2 FAGOT/FRESCO AND 3 LIAISON-TYPE.
RUNWAY IS SERVICEABLE.

25X1D [redacted]

ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD 1958N 07550W

AIRCRAFT -- ONE TWIN-ENGINE TRANSPORT AND
8 LIAISON-TYPE.
RUNWAYS ARE SERVICEABLE.

25X1D [redacted]

-PORTS-

BANES AREA PORT 2055N 07542W

VESSELS -- 4 KOMAR-CLASS PGMG AND ONE PROBABLE PC.

25X1D [redacted]

PUNTA ALEGRE AREA, PORT 2223N 07847W

VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted]

MOA BAY PORT 2039N 07454W

VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. HAZE LIMITS INTERPRETATION.

25X1D [redacted]

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT 2001N 07550W [redacted]

VESSELS -- 4 FREIGHTERS AND NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted] 25X1A

NUEVITAS PORT 2132N 07716W [redacted]

VESSELS -- 2 CARGO VESSELS AT PIER, ONE CARGO VESSEL ANCHORED IN HARBOR.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted] 25X1A

LA ISABELA PORT 2256N 08001W [redacted]

VESSELS -- ONE PC AND SEVERAL SMALL CRAFT.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT NOTED.

25X1D [redacted] 25X1A

CAIBARIEN PORT 2232N 07928W [redacted]

VESSELS -- NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT BUT NO LARGE VESSELS.
NO MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted] 25X1A

CARDENAS PORT 2302N 08112W [redacted]

VESSELS -- NONE VISIBLE. CLOUDS LIMIT INTERPRETATION.

25X1D [redacted] 25X1A

PUERTO PADRE PORT 2113N 07632W [redacted]

VESSELS -- 2 FREIGHTERS.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted]

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25X1A

-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

HOLGUIN AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2053N 07614W [redacted]

CAMP CONTAINS APPROXIMATELY 45 TANKS, APPROXIMATELY 250 MISCELLANEOUS VEHICLES, AND 65 LARGE TENTS.

25X1D [redacted] 25X1A

EL JUCARO MILITARY AREA 2051N 07543W [redacted]

NO VEHICLES OR MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED. SIX STORAGE-TYPE BUILDINGS AND 8 SMALLER BUILDINGS ARE PRESENT.

25X1D [redacted] 25X1A

REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2227N 07934W [redacted]

APPROXIMATELY 45 TANKS AND 320 OTHER VEHICLES, MOSTLY TRUCKS, ARE PARKED IN THE AREA. CAMP ALSO CONTAINS 11 COMPLETED BARRACKS, ONE BARRACK UNDER CONSTRUCTION, SEVERAL UTILITY BUILDINGS AND 28 LARGE AND NUMEROUS SMALLER TENTS.

25X1D [redacted] 25X1A

VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS, MILITARY CAMP 2054N 07655W [redacted]

FIFTY VEHICLES OBSERVED, NONE OF THEM TANKS. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE [redacted]

25X1D [redacted] 25X1D 25X1A

MAYARI ARRIBA MILITARY INSTALLATION 2029N 07530W [redacted]

AREA CONTAINS 3 POSSIBLE CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS AND AT LEAST 50 VEHICLES. NO APPARENT

25X1D CHANGE SINCE [redacted] IN NUMBER OF CRATES PRESENT.

25X1D [redacted]

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO CHANGE SINCE LAST COVERAGE --

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SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 1	2243N 08001W
SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 2	2239N 07951W
REMEDIOS IRBM SITE	2225N 07935W
BARTOLOME (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY	2226N 07934W
SALAMANCA (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY	2227N 07940W
PEPU (PEPUS), SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY	2016N 07620W
SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE	2251N 08005W
CAIBARIEN SAM SITE	2228N 07929W
CHAPARRA SAM SITE	2107N 07626W
LOS ANGELES SAM SITE	2100N 07541W
MANATI SAM SITE	2113N 07702W
CHAMBAS SAM SITE	2213N 07853W
ESMERALDA SAM SITE	2155N 07813W
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE	1959N 07551W
DELEITE SAM SITE	2259N 08045W
CIEGO DE AVILA SAM SITE	2142N 07850W
DELEITE ALTERNATE SAM SITE	2301N 08044W
VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2104N 07700W
MALDONADO SAM SITE	2012N 07528W
BANES CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2058N 07538W
LOS CANOS AIRFIELD	2004N 07509W
GUANTANAMO AREA 1	2005N 07523W
CAMAGUEY AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION NO 1	2121N 07750W
SAN GERMAN AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2029N 07559W
SAN GERMAN, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2025N 07602W
SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2221N 07957W
CAMAGUEY AREA, SMALL MILITARY CAMP	2126N 07753W

25X1B

[redacted]

LAS VILLAS AREA OF SPECIAL INTEREST	2146N 07959W
SIBONEY AREA, LANDING BEACH	1957N 07542W
PLAYA YATERITAS, LANDING BEACH	1959N 07458W
MAR VERDE, LANDING BEACH	1957N 07557W
NICARO, LANDING BEACH	2042N 07533W

25X1B

[redacted]

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED --

MATANZAS CITY, LA CUMBRE ALTA	2304N 08133W
MATANZAS SAM SITE	2301N 08129W

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CIEGO DE AVILA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2151N	07844W
CORONEL PASCUAL AIRFIELD	2307N	08117W
BARACOA PORT	2021N	07430W
MATANZAS PORT	2303N	08134W
MATANZAS, BEACH	2302N	08126W
VARADERO, LANDING BEACH	2308N	08118W

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS WERE NOT COVERED OR WERE NOT OBSERVED BECAUSE OF ADVERSE WEATHER OR OTHER CONDITIONS --

SANTA BARBARA, SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY	2012N	07634W
CASILDA, MISSILE EQUIPMENT AREA	2146N	07958W
CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE	2202N	08024W
SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE	2147N	07929W
JIGUANI SAM SITE	2021N	07620W
MANZANILLO SAM SITE	2018N	07706W
LA SIERRA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2156N	08019W
JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD	2209N	08025W
BAYAMO EAST AIRFIELD	2023N	07638W
TRINIDAD AIRFIELD	2147N	07959W
MANZANILLO PORT	2021N	07707W
CIENFUEGOS PORT	2209N	08027W
CASILDA PORT	2145N	07959W
MANZANILLO AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2017N	07706W
CIENFUEGOS, BEACH	2202N	08026W
LA ROSITA AREA, STORAGE INSTALLATION	2208N	08004W
[redacted]		
SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY INSTL	2224N	07953W
MANICARAGUA AREA, EXPLOSIVES STORAGE SITE	2206N	07958W

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THIS MISSION DOES NOT COVER ANY TARGETS WEST OF 81 DEGREES 40 MINUTES WEST LONGITUDE.

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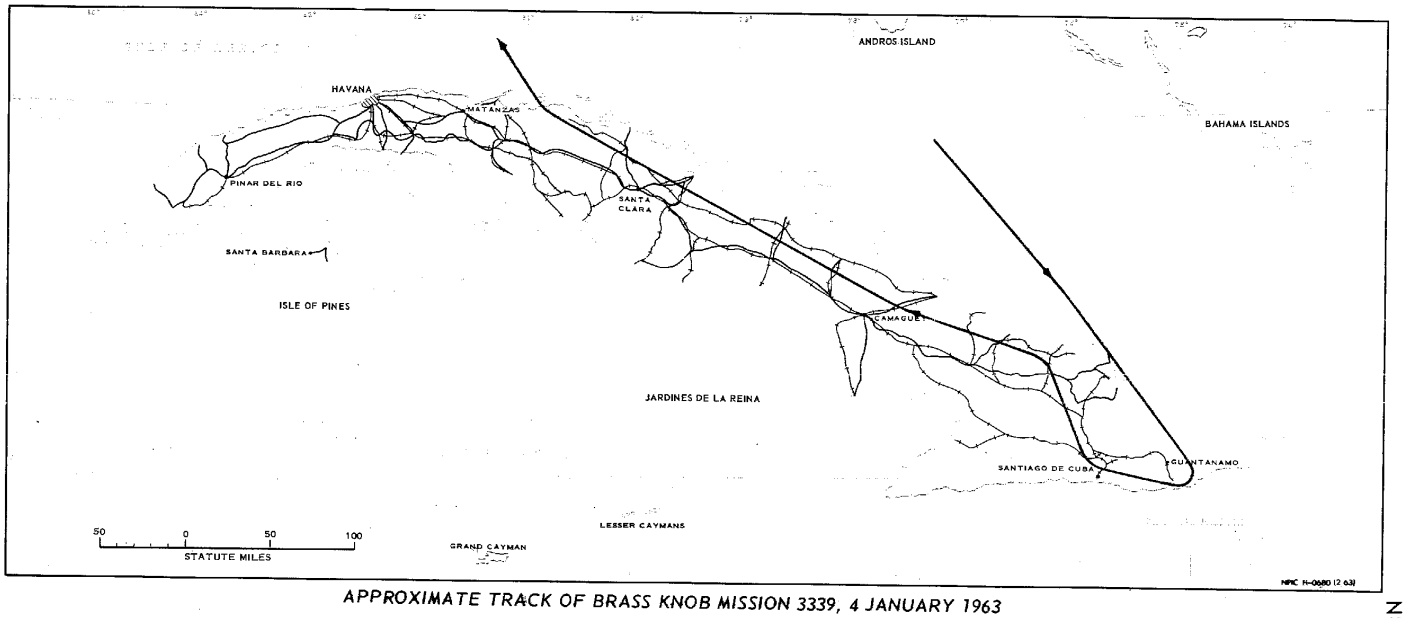

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